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TO AMEMBASSY ROME IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: OVIP, ASEC

SUBJECT: PROVISION OF MILITARY AIRCRAFT FOR  
AMBASSADORIAL TRAVEL

REF: ROME 1918

1. DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN INFORMED INFORMALLY THAT DOD HAS APPROVED OFFICIAL REQUEST FOR AMBASSADOR VOLPE TO USE US MILITARY AIRCRAFT DURING MARCH 12-15 TRIP TO VERONA AND MILAN. DEPT. WILL INFORM POST AS SOON AS FORMAL APPROVAL RECEIVED FROM DOD. WE UNDERSTAND THAT DOD WILL COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY THROUGH MILITARY CHANNELS TO COMFAIRMED, WHICH WILL BE REQUESTED TO CONFIRM THE AVAILABILITY OF AIRCRAFT.

2. DOD DOES NOT HAVE AUTHORITY TO ISSUE BLANKET PERMISSION FOR SIX MONTHS BUT MUST INSTEAD CONSIDER EACH TRIP ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS. EMBASSY SHOULD THEREFORE SUBMIT SEPARATE REQUEST WITH JUSTIFICATION APPROXIMATELY ONE  
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MONTH PRIOR TO MAY TRIP TO MILAN. KISSINGER

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